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War is the Worst Thing in the World

By Caitlin Johnstone | caitlinjohnst.one

War is the worst thing in the world. It is the single craziest behaviour exhibited by humans. The most destructive. The most traumatizing. The least sustainable. The least conducive to human thriving.

All the things we fear most become the norm in a land ravaged by war. Death. Pain. Suffering. Rape. Chaos. Uncertainty. Losing loved ones. Losing homes. Losing limbs. Living in terror. Being attacked. Being brain-damaged. Being faced with impossible choices. All the things we frighten ourselves with by watching horror movies become a reality from which there is no escape.

War creates a waking nightmare, which any sensible person would want to avoid, except in the direst necessity. And yet we are ruled by people who actively seek it out; who will lie and manipulate to make wars happen; who will smear and slander anyone who resists in the name of peace; who will actively fight against every healthy impulse in everybody in their society to push their war agenda forward.

They always tell us the new war they want us to fight is about self-defence, or about liberating an oppressed population from a tyrannical dictatorship, or about preventing terrorism, or about spreading freedom and democracy. Usually, they tell us it's about all of these things.

But it never is. They are always lying. Always. They are pushing human beings into the worst circumstances they could possibly experience here on earth for no other reason than power and profit. To advance the hegemonic agendas of empire managers and to fill the coffers of war profiteers. That's all it ever is. Always, always, always.

They say whatever they need to say and move whatever chess pieces they need to move to get their war, and then they send a bunch of poor suckers to go fight in it, lying to them that they are doing something noble and heroic.

They ship them off to a foreign land, and then they are trapped. They can't flee into the wilderness because they don't know how to survive and have no way of getting home. They can't ask the locals for help because the locals are their victims. They have no choice but to either fight and kill people who have never wronged them, or lay down their arms and be caged like animals.

If they choose to fight, the best case scenario is that they spend the rest of their lives knowing that they killed other human beings who wanted to live just as much as themselves, and who had just as much right to. All because some people who already had far too much power wanted a little bit more.

It's about the most insane and backwards thing you could possibly imagine.

The most powerful individuals in our world are people who actively push for the absolute worst outcomes that could possibly happen. It's the exact opposite of the way things should be.

Yet we are told it's normal. We are trained to believe this is just the reality we live in, which we should expect and accept, first by our parents and teachers, and then by our news media and by Hollywood. War is aggressively normalized by pundits, propagandists and politicians, and enthusiastically glorified in movies and documentaries.

Those who were forced or duped into fighting in these insane arrangements of mass-scale violence are framed as heroes, and anyone who disagrees with what they were sent to do is framed as disrespectful and ungrateful.

Those who push for peace are framed as treasonous freaks who must surely have covert loyalties toward whatever government the empire is trying to target this time around. Those who suggest that there might be some solution apart from war are dismissed as infantile dreamers.

And once the war has started, it is almost impossible to stop. The entire political/media class treats the war as the new normal, and any suggestion that it's time to wrap things up is regarded as outlandish and suspicious. It's never time to end the war, because this or that objective has not yet been achieved, or because this or that faction might come into power if troops are pulled out, or because this or that disempowered group might suffer without our military there to protect them.

Ending a war is as difficult as beginning a war is easy. All the institutions that lined up perfectly to help get the ball rolling toward war suddenly transform into giant tar pits of inertia when it comes to ending the conflict. The warmakers say the war must continue for this or that reason, the politicians back the warmakers, the media back the politicians, and the people saying it's time to end the madness are left standing there looking like they're the crazy ones.

But they're not the crazy ones. The ones pushing us toward war are crazy. This whole system is crazy. This whole civilization.

The ones resisting the push toward war are the ones fighting for sanity. They're the ones who are trying to reverse the tide of madness and drag us into a healthy world.

If this is you, do not falter. Do not let the warmongers shout you down or shut you up. You are right, and they are wrong. Let your voice thunder with confidence. Let nothing cause you to waver.

Blessed are the peacemakers. Don't let anyone trick you into doubting what you know to be true.

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Freedom Convoy Organizer Seeks Political Asylum in the USA

"All that is necessary for evil to triumph is for good men to do nothing." ~Edmund Burke

In 2022, James Bauder—a Canada-USA long-haul trucker and the original voice behind the Freedom Convoy—stood up for what millions of Canadians believed in: the right to lawful freedom of choice, the right to follow God's laws, the right to peaceful protest, bodily autonomy, and the democratic freedoms promised under the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms.

From Peaceful Protest to Political Persecution

James followed his faith and exercised those rights peacefully.

He led no violence. He incited no hatred.

James stood on Parliament Hill—peacefully—and made his voice heard to millions watching and supporting around the world, including vocal support from President Donald Trump.

Yet today, he faces up to 15 years in prison.

Even Federal Justice Richard Mosley, in his ruling on the Emergencies Act, confirmed, ***"The protests were overwhelmingly peaceful."***

So why is James Bauder being prosecuted as if he were a violent criminal?

Crown prosecutors have targeted James as a primary organizer of the Freedom Convoy, seeking to make a political example of him. Like many others who participated in the peaceful protest, James had his bank accounts frozen and his vehicle seized. Others—such as Pat King, Byron Carr, and Pastor Artur Pawlowski—were tortured while in prison.

The outcomes of political prosecutions in the cases of Pat King, Tamara Lich, Chris Barber, the Coutts Border Protestors, Pastor Artur Pawlowski, Chris Carbert, and Tony Olienik (and hundreds more who participated and were charged) will likely foreshadow the Crown's approach in James's case.

It is a fact that thousands of law-abiding Canadians have been politically persecuted, charged, and convicted by a politically corrupted judicial system.

Seeking Refuge: Asylum in the United States

James Bauder is now seeking political asylum in the United States because the Canadian government has made it clear it will not stop until he is silenced, imprisoned, and made an example of.

Screenshot from an insightful interview with James on January 23, 2022
Watch it at youtu.be/UtufXudX6_4

This is unprecedented in Canadian history. Never before has a peaceful protester—whose actions were nonviolent and open—been threatened with more than a decade in prison, had personal bank accounts frozen, or faced such an intense campaign of political and media demonization.

His legal team is working tirelessly to present a clear and compelling case:

- That James Bauder is being politically prosecuted and persecuted for his beliefs
- That Canada has now crossed the line into politically motivated prosecution
- That his life, liberty, and freedom of conscience are at risk if forced to return to Canada

Why We Need Your Help

Filing for asylum is a legally complex, costly, and emotionally draining process. James is not allowed to work for a minimum of six months while his asylum application is processed. He is without access to the financial resources the government has used to crush dissent. He is not backed by corporations, unions, or elites—he is backed by people like you.

This fundraiser supports:

- Legal fees for his asylum case and defense in Canada
- Safe accommodation and travel while he seeks protection
- Media outreach and legal advocacy to raise awareness of political persecution in Canada

James's legal fees for filing for political asylum are estimated to be between $20,000 and $30,000 USD. His lawyer is Matthew L. Kolken of Kolken & Kolken Law (kolkenandkolken.com).

Why This Matters to Every Canadian and American

This is not just about James Bauder—it's about whether Canada remains a free and democratic nation. If a truck driver and peaceful protester like James can face a decade in prison simply for showing up and speaking out, who will be next?

Let this be the moment where we say: Enough is enough.

Help Us Show the World

This is the best chance in Canadian history for a citizen to be granted asylum in the United States, because the facts speak for themselves.

The world is watching. Let's make sure they see the truth.

Help James Bauder fight for his freedom—and to be a strong advocate for lawful freedom of choice for all Canadians who have been politically persecuted.

James also founded Guardian Angels for the Persecuted: facebook.com/groups/guardianangels-forthepersecuted. Let us not remain silent. Amen.

To help James, please go to:
givesendgo.com/Please-Support-James-Bauder
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FREEDOM WINS!

• After two long years of fighting, **Freedom Convoy trucker George Dyck has finally beaten a $6,250 fine for trying to re-enter Canada unvaccinated.** Prosecutors dropped the charges—a quiet admission that these mandates and fines were never just.

• The corporate-sponsored LGBTQ group behind **New York City's "Pride" parade is becoming less corporate after losing 25% of its major corporate sponsors,** including Pepsi, Target, Nissan, and Mastercard, creating a financial shortfall of $750,000.

• **The $700 billion Canada Pension Plan has quietly dropped its 2050 net-zero pledge,** calling it too risky for investors. The move mirrors a wider exodus: four major Canadian banks (BMO, TD, National Bank, and CIBC) ditched the UN's Net-Zero Banking Alliance in January, joining US banks that have already pulled out. Even BlackRock, managing $11.5 trillion in assets, abandoned the Net Zero Asset Managers initiative.

• Texas is pushing back against toxic food—with **a landmark bill that would force brands like Doritos, Froot Loops, Oreos, Skittles, Gatorade, and more to carry a warning label "not recommended for human consumption" if they contain ingredients banned,** or required to carry warning labels, in the EU, UK, Australia, or Canada. Backed by RFK Jr., Senate Bill 25 aims to expose 44 harmful additives, including synthetic dyes, partially hydrogenated oils, bleached flour, and some seed oils and preservatives, driving America's chronic disease epidemic. A huge step toward food freedom and informed choice!

• The Trump administration has **canceled the Biden administration's $766 million award to drugmaker Moderna to develop an mRNA vaccine against potential pandemic influenza** viruses, including the H5N1 bird flu.

• In a stunning pivot, the **US Department of Energy has pulled the plug on 24 green energy projects totaling nearly $3.7 billion,** all approved during the final weeks of the Biden administration. These grants—big bets on carbon capture, EV infrastructure, and more—were declared *"financially unviable"* and misaligned with the new administration's priorities of energy reliability and fiscal accountability.

• **HHS Secretary Robert F. Kennedy Jr. just fired all 17 members of the CDC's vaccine advisory panel,** citing that most members have deep conflicts of interest and financial ties to pharmaceutical companies. He slammed the committee for approving literally every single vaccine they've come across—even those later pulled for safety issues—and accused it of pushing controversial shots like COVID, RSV, and HPV without proper scrutiny. *"A clean sweep,"* he said, *"is needed to re-establish public confidence."*

• The US House Judiciary Committee advanced the **"Protect Children's Innocence Act" (HR 1399), which would ban "gender-affirming care" for minors,** including puberty blockers, cross-sex hormones, and sex-change surgeries.

• A large handful of **YouTube channels that were banned during COVID measures for spreading "misinformation"**—including *Corbett Report* and *Press for Truth*—**have been reinstated!**

• Ontario resident George **Katerberg took the Ministry of Transportation to court after it blocked his right to post a billboard exposing political lies about the COVID pandemic.** With help from the Justice Centre for Constitutional Freedoms—he **won!** A big victory for free expression in Canada.

• **DOJ challenges top medical journals over bias and censorship.** The US Department of Justice has sent letters to at least three major medical journals—*CHEST, NEJM,* and *Obstetrics and Gynecology*—raising serious concerns about editorial bias, lack of transparency, and suppression of dissenting views, particularly around COVID-19 policies and treatments. For years, critics have accused elite journals of pushing ideology over honest science. These DOJ letters are a long-overdue step toward reclaiming integrity in scientific publishing amid growing evidence of corruption, censorship, and financial conflicts of interest.

• **Monsanto slammed with $175 million verdict as court rejects federal shield.** In a major courtroom blow, Monsanto (Bayer) has failed to overturn a $175 million jury award to a Pennsylvania man who says Roundup caused his cancer. The state appeals court ruled the verdict was justified and constitutionally sound, a serious blow to Monsanto's long-time legal strategy of arguing that federal law overrides state-level *"failure to warn"* claims.

• **The FDA is taking steps to pull fluoride tablets and lozenges**—routinely prescribed to US children as young as 6 months—from the market. Despite decades of use to prevent cavities, research shows fluoride's benefits are topical only. Even more alarming: studies now link ingested fluoride to lowered IQ, thyroid disruption, behavioural issues, and gut microbiome damage.

• **Texas Attorney General Paxton launches probe into Colgate and Crest for "dangerous" kid-friendly fluoride marketing.** Paxton is investigating Colgate and Crest for marketing fluoride toothpaste with candy flavours and cartoon characters, accusing them of misleading parents into thinking the toothpaste is safe if ingested and encouraging kids to ingest unsafe amounts. Paxton called the tactics *"deceptive, dangerous, and irresponsible."*

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The Shadow of Malfeasance

Exposing the Illusion of Deception of the Social Contract

By Henry

In this article, I invite you to walk with me through the corridors of legal language, power structures, and civic illusions, examining how one simple yet profound word—malfeasance—has been buried beneath layers of cultural and legal obfuscation. My goal is to illuminate how this concept connects directly to the foundational fraud of what many call the "social contract." It is time we explored how this phantom contract is used as the spiritual and intellectual leash binding modern man to state servitude.

Key Point 1: Rediscovering "Malfeasance"—A Buried Legal Weapon

Let us begin with a word many may have heard in passing, but few fully understand: malfeasance. The Cambridge Law Dictionary defines it succinctly as "an example of dishonest and illegal behaviour, especially by a person in authority." Meanwhile, Cornell Law School expounds further: malfeasance is "intentional conduct that is wrongful or unlawful, especially by officials or public employees."

This word is the very sword of lawful accountability. It is not merely a descriptor of misconduct—it is the formal charge against those who betray public trust. Why, then, is it absent from the average citizen's vocabulary? Why has it become a relic?

The answer is chilling in its simplicity: because malfeasance, if rightly understood and properly wielded, would expose the lawlessness of many modern institutions. It is the sword hidden beneath the courthouse floorboards, kept from public knowledge lest the people realize they have the right—and the duty—to rise up against tyranny cloaked in bureaucracy.

When those in high office abuse their power and inflict harm on the people they claim to serve, it is not mere "mismanagement." It is malfeasance, a legal wrong deserving of punishment. The erasure of this concept from public discourse is no accident—it is strategic. As long as we forget the sword is there, we cannot pick it up and use it.

Key Point 2: The Social Contract – An Illusion in Ink and Imagination

From the dusty shelf of presumed civic consent, we must now turn to the myth of the social contract. We are told—by academics, bureaucrats, and politicians alike—that we have all entered into a tacit agreement with the state. This contract allegedly obliges us to obey laws, pay taxes, and submit to authority in exchange for protection and order.

But I ask you: where is this contract? Where is the page I signed? Where is the evidence that I, or you, or any of us, consciously entered into such a binding arrangement?

No such document exists.

It is a phantom agreement. A fiction. A legal mirage invoked to justify every mandate, every fine, every intrusion into your God-given liberty. Worse still, it is enforced with the iron rod of police power—men with guns, backed by jails, who compel your obedience in the name of a contract you never signed.

Even if a piece of paper were produced tomorrow purporting to be such a contract, we would still be within our rights to declare it void. For under basic principles of contract law, any agreement entered under duress, deception, or fraud is null and void ab initio—invalid from the outset. And what greater fraud can there be than imposing obligations upon people by virtue of their mere birth within a geographical boundary?

There is no freely given consent. Only assumption. Only coercion. Only inherited submission passed down like a hereditary curse.

To add insult to injury, when we try to extricate ourselves from this fictitious social contract, we discover we are not allowed to. The state claims that its authority is irrevocable. That once you are born, you belong to it. This is not the language of contract. It is the language of slavery.

The legal fiction of the social contract has been weaponized to turn every man and woman into property of the state—living resources to be taxed, tracked, and disciplined at will. But once you see the chains, you can begin to unshackle yourself.

In conclusion, the word malfeasance is not only a key to understanding injustice; it is a torch that, once lit, can expose the darkest corners of modern governance. Keep that torch in hand as we continue. You will need it.

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A Tribute to Grant "Pace" Gordon

When God Calls Out Your Name

Grant "Pace" Gordon 1981 - 2025

By Jim Canie aka "Jimmy Canine"

One day a man emerged.
He had a massive heart.
He came out of the blue.
It was only just the start.
Freedom was his calling.
It was surely meant to be.
He was chosen as a messenger.
For all that could not see.
It wasn't a coincidence.
The friends that he would meet.
The memories he created.
Was really quite the feat.
He travelled about the land.
With Phil right by his side.
Together they would venture.
To places far and wide.
DRUTHERS was the tool.
The message he would share.
The places he would travel.
He did without a care.
We all did get to know him.
In each our little way.
The things that we'll remember.
Will be cherished everyday.
He had that laugh. A Woody kind.
The kind you can't forget.
We hear him now above us.
Oh Lord it's in my head.
And then it came. The dreaded call.
That Grant was going home.
His work on earth was finished.
And now he's not alone.
His legacy ... to be continued.
His work has just begun.
And now he has another task.
He was a chosen one.
So when we think of Grant my friends
Think of all the fun.
Think of all the memories.
His work is far from done.
Gone but not forgotten.
His memory will live on.
Chosen for this purpose.
Freedom was his song.
There is no rhyme or reason.
It will never be the same.
It is not ours to wonder.
When God calls out your name.

R.I.P. Grant Pace
May 9, 1981 - May 22, 2025

Written by Jim Canie aka "Jimmy Canine"
In memory of my Freedom Brother Grant Pace,
Druthers Reporter.

Wildfire Evacuees in Manitoba Left Stranded While Red Cross Funds Go Unaccounted For

By Alice Rose

I am an evacuee from the wildfires in Flin Flon, Manitoba, and I am writing this out of deep concern and frustration. I have witnessed firsthand a **shocking level of mismanagement and a disturbing lack of transparency** from the Canadian Red Cross and other government agencies.

Despite the fact that many Canadians—good people with good hearts—have **donated their hard-earned money** to the Red Cross, believing they are helping those of us displaced by the wildfires in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, **that money is not reaching us.** No one seems to know where these funds are going, but they are certainly not helping the evacuees on the ground.

It has now been three whole weeks—21 days—since we were forced to evacuate. **Many evacuees have been paying out of pocket for hotel stays, food, and basic necessities** they never expected to need. Some are draining their life savings just trying to survive. My husband and I are fortunate to have an RV to live in, but many others do not have that option.

There has been a huge donation drive for this wildfire response. I don't know the exact number, but I've heard the amount raised is well over $40 million, with the government triple-matching public donations. However, the truth is that **most evacuees have received little to no support.**

Some evacuees in Manitoba, including my husband and me, did receive a payment from the Red Cross: **$476 each.** The Red Cross has stated on its own website that this payment is intended to **cover two weeks of living expenses during evacuation.** I would like to know: Who in Red Cross management believes that, in today's economy, $476 could cover two weeks of hotel stays, meals, and basic supplies? When we called the Red Cross, **we were told bluntly that this was a one-time payment**—we should not expect any further assistance.

We are now entering our fourth week of evacuation, with no end in sight. Bureaucratic delays and endless government red tape around "deeming it safe" to return are leaving us stranded indefinitely.

In Saskatchewan, the situation is even more outrageous: I have heard reports that the Red Cross is refusing to assist non-First Nations evacuees, who are forced to apply through a separate agency, which so far has provided them with nothing. **How can the Canadian Red Cross claim to serve all Canadians** under these circumstances?

This lack of preparation is appalling. Canada has a long history of wildfire evacuations, yet our local officials were entirely unprepared. The Flin Flon city council's handling of this disaster has been disastrous in its own right. There is no clear, sensible plan for returning people home. Many now believe that the council is deliberately extending the evacuation in order to maximize emergency funding, which, based on past behaviour, will likely be wasted on pet projects or personal perks rather than true public benefit.

I am calling on journalists, watchdogs, and public officials: **Please investigate where this money is going.** Canadians donated in good faith, and we are going broke while those donations sit unused. The Red Cross and government agencies must be held accountable. We need answers. And we need help now!

The "Dirty Dozen" of 2025:

Corporate Agriculture's Toxic Legacy on Your Plate

By Tea Lynn Moore

It's that time of year again. The Environmental Working Group (EWG) has just released its *2025 Dirty Dozen*—the annual list of fruits and vegetables most contaminated with pesticide residues. For anyone paying attention to what's happening to our food supply, the results are as infuriating as they are predictable.

Spinach and strawberries top the list once again, with multiple pesticide residues on nearly every sample tested. Spinach came in first for pesticide residue by weight, with many samples tainted with substances that have been banned for years in other parts of the world.

Blackberries and potatoes are this year's most concerning new additions to the list. Blackberries were found to carry residues from as many as 14 different chemicals on a single sample. Potatoes—one of North America's dietary staples—remain loaded with chlorpropham, a sprout inhibitor banned across the EU due to its toxicity, but still widely used in Canada and the US.

Here's the full 2025 *Dirty Dozen:*

Spinach
Strawberries
Kale, collard, and mustard greens
Grapes
Peaches
Cherries
Nectarines
Pears
Apples
Blackberries
Blueberries
Potatoes

A Global Double Standard

Several of the pesticides detected—such as cypermethrin and chlorpropham—are considered too dangerous for European consumers, where regulators have banned them outright. Yet here in North America, these chemicals remain in use thanks to powerful lobbying by the agrochemical industry.

Additionally, as *Consumer Reports* recently warned, modern chemical agriculture often replaces old banned substances with new ones that are equally toxic—a shell game that keeps profits flowing while leaving consumers in the dark.

Multiple studies show that even low-dose, long-term exposure to these pesticides can disrupt hormones, impair children's development, and increase risks of neurological issues and cancers.

What You Can Do

Buy organic when possible. Especially for anything on the Dirty Dozen list. As one researcher put it, *"one of the things that a lot of peer-reviewed studies have shown over and over again (is) that when people switch to an organic diet from a conventional diet, you can really see measurable levels in the reduction of pesticide levels in the urine."*

Start a garden. Growing your own food not only reduces your exposure to pesticides but also reconnects you with nature and the true value of clean, nourishing food.

Wash thoroughly. For firm produce, rinse under cool, running water, scrub, remove outer leaves and husks, or peel. A 25% white or apple cider vinegar to water soak for 5–10 minutes works, too. For produce that you don't peel, one study suggested a solution of baking soda and water may be more effective than water alone or vinegar and water. For delicate produce like berries or leafy greens, soak them in a solution of five grams (one teaspoon) baking soda per litre of water and then rinse. Even the most diligent cleaning won't remove all residues, though, as many types of fresh produce are porous and absorb chemicals easily. In fact, the study the EWG based their list on had scrubbed and peeled the produce *before* testing—so whatever survives the wash process is *still* making its way into our bodies.

Eat a safer variety. The group also released a list of the *Clean Fifteen*—aka, the produce items with the lowest amount of pesticides. The list included pineapples, sweet corn (both fresh and frozen), avocados, papaya, onions, frozen sweet peas, asparagus, cabbage, watermelon, cauliflower, bananas, mangos, carrots, mushrooms and kiwis.

A Broken System

This isn't just about personal choices. It's about a corrupt system. Corporate agriculture, enabled by weak regulators, is pumping our food full of toxic residues, while independent farmers who practice regenerative or organic methods face uphill battles.

Sadly, over 98% of chemical spray used in agriculture ends up *off-target*—contaminating soil, waterways, and non-target organisms. Whole ecosystems are collapsing under this chemical onslaught.

It's time to demand a ban on the worst pesticides; transparent labeling of residues, and policies that support organic and regenerative farmers, not just the Big Ag lobbyists.

Our food should nourish us, not poison us. And citizens—not chemical corporations—should have the final say over what ends up on our plates. It's time to fight for real food.

Is Freek Rikkerink's Aggressive "Turbo" Cancer a Side-Effect of the COVID-19 mRNA Injection?

Image via Suzan & Freek's video: youtu.be/k_jYW5DR-cE

By John C.A. Manley

On May 27, 2025, the Netherlands was emotionally rocked by the tragic and unexpected news that Freek Rikkerink, from the Dutch singing duo Suzan & Freek, has metastatic lung cancer. The conventional medical system says he has no chance of recovery. Freek is only 32. If he's lucky, doctors hope he'll be able to see the birth of the couple's first child.

Tragically, young people developing aggressive *"turbo cancers"* is a phenomenon that has spiked significantly since 2021 and is only getting worse.

Dr. Harvey Risch is Professor Emeritus of Epidemiology in the Department of Epidemiology and Public Health at the Yale School of Public Health and Yale School of Medicine. In September 2023, he reported to The Epoch Times that Yale's clinicians were witnessing a new and aggressive form of cancer in adults as young as 25. These cancers move so quickly that between diagnosis and first treatment, they have often already progressed to the point of no return.

In 2023, Yale Cancer Center launched an Early Onset Cancer Program, after the journal *Nature* found a strong rise in cancers among people aged 18 to 49. Yale School of Medicine noted in their press release (below a photo of happy smiling doctors) that these patients *"with early onset cancers face unique challenges. Their cancers tend to be more aggressive and may be less responsive to treatment."*

What happened in 2020-2021 that would have warp-sped a cancer pandemic? Are people still traumatized from watching governments turn so-called free nations into medical police states where everybody was masked up and locked down? Or is this a side effect of that experimental mRNA injection? Or is it just a coincidence?

Swinging back to the Netherlands, in 2021, the Radboud Center for Infectious Diseases published a study in *Clinical Immunology* showing that the Pfizer/Moderna mRNA shot *"induces complex functional reprogramming of innate immune responses."* Using RNA sequencing, they showed that the mRNA vaccine could cause receptors on T-cells, dendritic cells, macrophages and suppressor cells to *"turn off."* This, they theorize, would allow malignant cancer cells to survive and proliferate unchecked.

Dr. Ryan Cole, CEO and medical director of Cold Diagnostics, concurs, saying in a 2023 interview with Children's Health Defense: "Because of the dysregulation of the immune responses and the suppression of the immune system by these genetic-based injections ... these cancers that normally would be kept in check by the body are unexpectedly growing very quickly."

In 2022, Dr. Angus Dalgleish, Professor of Oncology at St. George's University of London, wrote to the editor of the BMJ, explaining how *"he was seeing dormant cancers ... suddenly come alive again just a few weeks after immune suppression by booster vaccine shots, with disastrous results ... people with stable disease rapidly progress after being forced to have a booster, usually so they can travel."*

Dalgleish's colleagues have accused him of being a conspiracy theorist. Strangely, they don't have any issues with being coincidence theorists themselves.

"I am experienced enough to know that these are not the coincidental anecdotes that many suggest," says Dalgleish, *"especially as the same pattern is being seen in Germany, Australia and the USA."*

Pfizer CEO, Albert Bourla, is unlikely to ever speculate that their mRNA cash cow may be behind these aggressive cancers. But not to worry, Pfizer spent $43 billion in 2023 to purchase Seagen, a drug company (worth only $2 billion in annual sales), that Bourla told CNBC produces *"turbo charge[d] guided missiles that are attacking the cancer cells and can make a huge difference."*

A huge difference in profit for Pfizer—which had gone from making a staggering $57 billion selling its line of COVID-related snake oil in 2022 to a measly $12.5 billion in 2023 (according to CNBC).

Trials for Pfizer's new, turbo-charged guided cancer-annihilating missiles start this year. Anyone care to roll up their sleeve again and volunteer? What could possibly go wrong?

Chris Woollams, founder of the UK-based cancer research organization, CANCERative, also suspects the mRNA injections are behind the sudden rise in turbo cancers:

"We too are seeing this phenomenon at CANCERactive," he wrote. *"In the last ten days, we have had four NHS nurses all under 35 years old; two with highly aggressive colorectal cancer, two with breast cancer and multiple mets. Each had been forced to have four or five COVID vaccines, of which two or three were mRNA boosters. It's hard to believe the mRNA vaccines have nothing to do with turbo cancer ... Other cancers on the increase beyond usual numbers are lymphoma, primary and, especially, secondary brain cancer and lung cancer. The vaccines need to be pulled off the market until there is proper Phase III research on the mRNA carrier, not just the spike protein."*

Back to the Netherlands, the Ministry of Health, Welfare and Sport has launched an investigation into *"the possible causes of excess mortality in the period 2020-2021."* On the list of suspects is the vaccine.

I don't know the vaccination status of Freek Rikkerink. As a musician, however, being well-boosted would have been a requirement for him to travel and perform. Chances are that he was part of the experiment. He certainly meets the two markers for this new phenomenon of turbo cancer: he's young and his cancer is aggressive.

Is the COVID injection responsible for this sudden rise in *"turbo cancers"* that Pfizer's CEO predicted will help make Pfizer billions more in profits? As Dr. Dalgleish said in his closing words to the *British Medical Journal*, *"This must be aired and debated immediately."*

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Why North American Bread is Different

By Michelle Zeh

How often have you heard someone say they can eat bread while vacationing in Europe without digestive issues, but experience gas, bloating, intestinal discomfort, or even joint pain after eating bread in Canada? You may have experienced this yourself.

What's in the Flour?

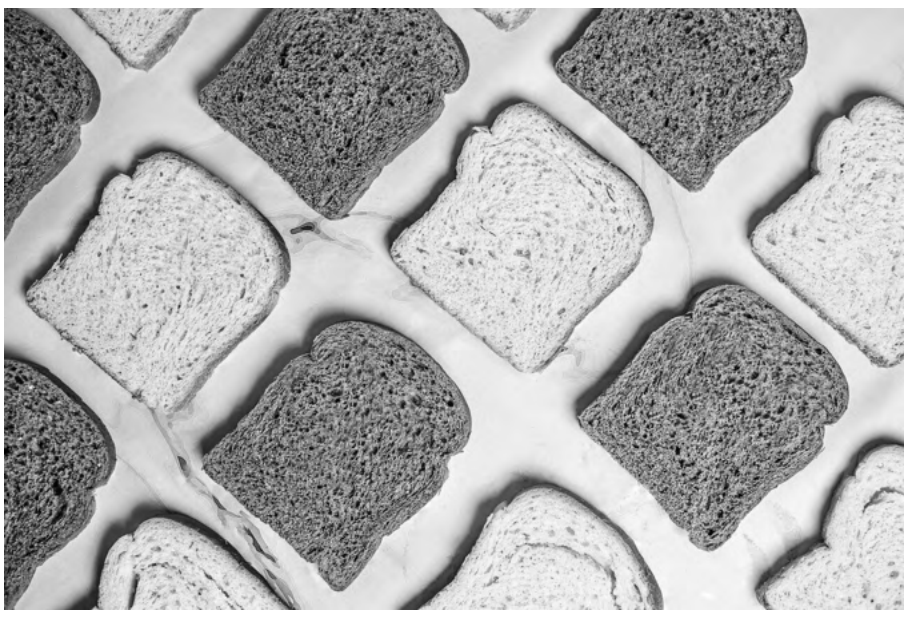
In the US and Canada, most modern flour is refined, meaning the bran and germ (which contain vitamins, minerals, and fibre) are stripped out to make a shelf-stable product. The flour is then "enriched" with synthetic folic acid; however, many people struggle to metabolize it, which can contribute to fatigue, anxiety, inflammation, or hyperactivity.[1] While refined flour is the standard here, Europe tends to favour flours that retain more of their whole-grain nutrition.

To achieve the bright white colour (think Wonder), and to strengthen dough, North American flour is treated with bleaching and maturing agents—most commonly chlorine dioxide and benzoyl peroxide.[2] These chemicals whiten the flour and enhance gluten structure. In contrast, many countries, including the United Kingdom, prohibit chemical bleaching of flour.

Since the 1940s, US bakeries have used potassium bromate, a strong flour maturing agent that makes dough rise higher and faster. The problem? It's a suspected carcinogen, linked in rodent studies to kidney and thyroid tumours. Canada banned its use in 1994, but it remains common in the US.

The Glyphosate Factor

Farmers often spray wheat with glyphosate (e.g. RoundUp) before harvest to speed up drying. Residues can remain in the finished flour.



Studies show glyphosate:

- Disrupts gut bacteria, potentially worsening gluten digestion.[3]
- Acts as an endocrine disruptor and may harm DNA in cells, including fetal tissues.[3]
- Contributes to gut inflammation, irritable bowel syndrome (IBS), celiac disease, and autoimmune disorders.[4] [5]

It's Not Just the Gluten

When breads that are bleached, bromated (in the US), synthetically fortified, and carrying herbicide residues trigger symptoms like bloating, fatigue, or brain fog, gluten often gets blamed. But it may be the chemicals and processing methods that are to blame. In contrast, traditional breads in countries like Italy, France, and Greece are typically made with simple, naturally milled flour and water—without additives or harsh processing.

Much of what we call bread in North America isn't like the fresh baguette or chewy ciabatta found in Europe. It's an ultra-processed wheat product—bleached, chemically aged, chemically harvested, and chemically enriched. Gluten may not be the sole issue; it's the entire chemical package.

So, What Can You Do?

- Switch to European-style breads made with simple ingredients and no bleaches or bromates.
- Look for organic or regenerative wheat products, which are less likely to be sprayed with glyphosate before harvest.
- Read labels carefully. Choose flours marked "unbleached," "whole-grain," or "100% whole wheat," and free of bromate.

By understanding what's really in your bread, you may once again enjoy it—without the side effects.

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The Bread, The Circus, and the Sugar Water

By Joshua Stylman | stylman.substack.com

I was watching the Knicks game last night, still processing my conversation with Naomi Wolf about consciousness and mind control earlier yesterday, when I realized I was witnessing the final performance of a civilization that has forgotten what reality is.

The game itself—human bodies moving through space, demonstrating skill, strength, and coordination—represents one of the last connections to authentic physical reality in our entirely mediated existence. But even this vestige of the real has been weaponized as a delivery system for the artificial. Between every moment of genuine athletic achievement, we're subjected to a systematic assault on consciousness: gambling apps promising easy wealth while creating addiction, antidepressants with suicide warnings read like poetry, debt consolidation loans marketed as financial freedom, and celebrities whose own discipline created their physiques now selling liquid diabetes to children.

This isn't just advertising. It's the systematic replacement of authentic reality with artificial decree—the same fiat principle that transformed sound money into printed currency, traditional food into processed chemicals, organic communities into digital networks, and authentic human experience into curated content streams.

Twenty years ago, my friend Peter and I thought we could kill advertising. We saw it as an inelegant, irrational system—interrupting people with messages they never asked to see, making markets behave irrationally. Search felt like the holy grail: a perfectly efficient experience where users asked questions, companies responded with relevant answers, and payment only occurred when genuine interest was demonstrated. It aligned the economic interests of all parties, especially consumers. We thought we were building capitalism as it should work.

We were foolish and naive. Google swallowed the entire category, then Facebook built on it, transforming our vision of rational market signaling into surveillance capitalism. What we designed as user empowerment became algorithmic control. What we intended as transparent value exchange became the foundation for consciousness programming at unprecedented scale.

We had stumbled into the fundamental reality of fiat systems: they appear to offer choice while constraining all possible outcomes within predetermined parameters.

The same mechanism that allows central banks to create "money" from nothing while maintaining the illusion of scarcity, that permits pharmaceutical companies to create diseases in order to sell cures, that enables media corporations to manufacture consent while claiming to report news.

Every commercial during that basketball game revealed another layer of this inversion. The athletes selling sugar water represent the perfect symbol of fiat culture: figures who achieved real mastery through discipline and sacrifice now prostituting their credibility to promote the precise opposite of what created their success. But there's a deeper layer here—as I've documented extensively in my MK-Ultra series, the very concept of "celebrity" is an artificial construct. These aren't authentic human beings sharing genuine experiences but carefully manufactured personas, performing scripted roles for fake money and fake fame within fake systems. Their entire public identities are as artificial as the fiat currency they're paid in and the fiat products they're selling. Every gesture calculated, every opinion focus-grouped, every "authentic moment" engineered for maximum psychological impact.

This systematic replacement of the authentic with the artificial extends far beyond consumer products. We live in an entirely fiat reality where every human need has been colonized by artificial systems. Traditional healing becomes "alternative medicine" while synthetic pharmaceuticals become standard care. Real food becomes "organic" while processed chemicals become simply "food." Authentic community becomes "social media" while algorithmic manipulation becomes "connection." Even human varieties—male and female, young and old, strong and weak—are being replaced by bureaucratic categories that can be redefined at administrative will.

The basketball game itself exists within this paradigm. What was once play—the natural human expression of physical capability and competitive spirit—has been transformed into a massive psychological programming operation. The very origins of organized sports may reveal this artificiality: major sports leagues weren't organic outgrowths of human competition but deliberate creations by Masonic institutions—basketball, baseball, soccer, football—designed to channel public energy into controlled spectacles that manufacture tribal loyalty while harvesting emotional investment.

This doesn't diminish the genuine athleticism or the beauty of competition itself, but it reveals how even our most beloved activities can be weaponized. The sport provides the emotional engagement that opens consciousness to manipulation, while the commercial programming delivers the behavioral modification. Spectators believe they're choosing entertainment, but they're actually volunteering for conditioning sessions designed to make them more compliant, more dependent, more predictable.

This isn't abstract theorizing but historical progression. Edward Bernays didn't just sell cigarettes when he staged the "Torches of Freedom" march in 1929—he rewired gender norms, making women equate smoking with liberation. The 1950s brought us the "scientists recommend" campaign that made cigarettes seem healthy. The 1970s gave us the food pyramid that made sugar seem nutritious. The 1990s brought us "Just Do It" campaigns that made consumption feel like personal empowerment. Each era refined the technique: not just selling products, but reshaping the fundamental categories through which people understand themselves and their world.

We've now reached the ultimate manifestation where literally everything transmitted through screens is programming. Adults can potentially recognize this manipulation if they choose to see it. The greater risk lies with children, who have no reference point for unmediated reality—they're being shaped by systems designed to eliminate the very capacity for independent thought.

Yet this totalizing artificial environment contains its own contradiction. The more completely reality is mediated, the more obvious the mediation becomes to those willing to see it. When identical scripts appear across hundreds of news outlets, the coordination becomes visible. When celebrities spontaneously develop identical political opinions, the puppet strings show. When health authorities promote policies that obviously harm health, the inversion reveals itself.

We're witnessing the emergence of what might be called "reality resistance"—a growing recognition that almost everything presented as natural, inevitable, or beneficial is actually engineered, artificial, and extractive. This isn't abstract theorizing but pattern recognition: the ability to see that systems which claim to serve human flourishing consistently produce the opposite results.

The question facing our civilization is whether enough people can develop this pattern recognition before the artificial systems achieve complete dominance over consciousness itself. The technologies being deployed—from neural interfaces to central bank digital currencies to algorithmic reality curation—represent the potential endpoint of fiat culture: the total replacement of authentic human experience with programmed simulation.

But consciousness itself may be the one domain that cannot be entirely artificially replicated. The capacity for genuine awareness, authentic connection, real creation—these emerge from depths that no algorithm can fully map or control. The same spark that allows us to recognize manipulation may be the key to transcending it.

The revolution begins not with political action but with perceptual action: choosing to see clearly what is actually happening rather than accepting the programmed interpretations of what we're told is happening. Every moment of genuine awareness breaks the fiat spell. Every choice for the real over the artificial weakens the system's hold.

Recognition doesn't require becoming a joyless monk. I still enjoy watching great athletes perform—there's genuine beauty in human excellence and competition. But understanding the manipulation allows me to appreciate the skill without surrendering my consciousness to the programming wrapped around it. The goal isn't to eliminate all entertainment but to maintain awareness of when we're being entertained versus when we're being entrained.

The basketball game ends, but the choice remains: continue consuming the spectacle or step into the authentic life that artificial systems were designed to replace. The exit has always been there—we just have to remember that reality exists beyond the dome.

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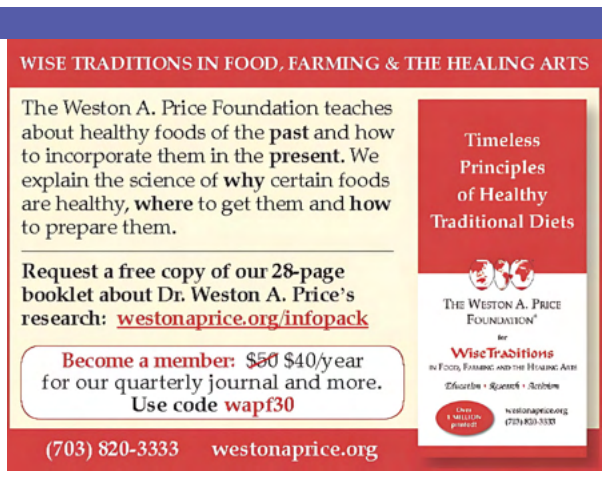
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The Real Reason Behind Every Modern Crisis

By Mark Edward

The World as a Chessboard

If you've ever felt that world events are less a series of random accidents and more a grand chess match, you're not alone. From the halls of government to the boardrooms of global banks, a pattern emerges: crises erupt, panic ensues, and, almost as if on cue, a "solution" appears, one that always seems to consolidate more power in fewer hands. This is the classic "problem, reaction, solution" strategy, often linked to the Hegelian dialectic, where the crisis is not just managed but manufactured, and the "solution" is the endgame all along.

Debt: The Engine of the Coming Reset

Let's start with the numbers. Global sovereign debt has reached historic highs, with the Institute of International Finance (IIF) reporting world debt at over $313 trillion in 2024, more than 330% of global GDP.[1] The United States alone has surpassed $34 trillion in national debt, while the EU, Japan, and China are not far behind. This is not a new trend: every major war or crisis in modern history has been preceded by a debt binge, followed by a "reset" that wipes the slate clean for the powerful, while ordinary people pay the price.

Historical Echoes

Pre-WWI and WWII: Both world wars were preceded by unsustainable debt and financial instability, which were "resolved" through conflict, currency devaluation, and the redrawing of the global order.

1971 - The End of the Gold Standard: When the US dollar was decoupled from gold, it unleashed an era of fiat money, endless credit, and the slow decline of fiscal discipline. Since then, the dollar's purchasing power has plummeted, and the world has been awash in cheap debt.

The Orchestration of Crisis

If you believe the headlines, the world is simply a chaotic place: wars in Ukraine and the Middle East, tensions in Taiwan, riots in the US, and a parade of "unexpected" disasters. But what if these are not just accidents, but moves in a calculated game? The theory goes like this: when the debt becomes unpayable, the system needs a reset. But to justify the pain of that reset, loss of savings, new controls, a new currency, you need a crisis of epic proportions.

The Hegelian Dialectic in Action

Problem: Escalating debt, social unrest, pandemics, and war.

Reaction: Public fear, demand for safety, and willingness to accept new restrictions.

Solution: Pre-packaged reforms, digital currencies, surveillance, and global governance, that would never have been accepted in normal times.

Surveillance and Control: The New Normal

The last two decades have seen an explosion of surveillance measures, often justified by crisis. After 9/11, the world saw the rise of the Patriot Act, mass surveillance, and the normalization of war powers in the name of security. The COVID-19 pandemic brought lockdowns, vaccine passports, and a new era of "public health" mandates, with dissenters labeled as threats to society.

The Role of Big Business, NGOs, and Banks

World Economic Forum (WEF): Klaus Schwab's "Great Reset" openly calls for a new world order, with leaders from Trudeau to Putin counted as "Young Global Leaders".

NGOs and Think Tanks: Organizations like the WHO, IMF, and World Bank push for global health, financial, and governance standards, often bypassing national sovereignty.

Banks and Central Banks: The push for Central Bank Digital Currencies (CBDCs) is accelerating, promising "convenience" but enabling unprecedented tracking and control of every transaction.

The Cultural Reset: Morals, Identity, and the Vacuum of Meaning

While the financial system is being reset, so too is the cultural foundation. Traditional values, family, faith, and community, are being replaced by a new creed: "do what thou wilt." New Age philosophies, radical individualism, and the erasure of boundaries are celebrated, while dissent is pathologized. The result is a society where government and technocratic "experts" become the new arbiters of truth and morality, filling the void left by the decline of faith and tradition.

The Mantra of the Fallen Angel

This new ethos, no boundaries, no limits, no judgment, echoes the ancient temptation: "You shall be as gods." The promise of eternal youth, limitless experience, and the rejection of sin is not just a cultural trend, but a spiritual one, with deep roots in occult and esoteric traditions.

The Endgame: One World, One System, One Currency

The ultimate goal? A single global system, one government, one health authority, one digital currency. The evidence is everywhere: the push for global health treaties, the rise of digital ID and CBDCs, and the relentless march toward "harmonized" regulations. The sovereign debt crisis is not a bug, but a feature, a pretext for the final consolidation of power.

The Numbers Don't Lie

Sovereign Debt: Off the charts, with no realistic path to repayment.

Currency Debasement: Since leaving the gold standard, the US dollar has lost over 90% of its value.

Centralization: Every crisis brings more power to the center, less to the individual.

Is Gold the Answer? The White Pieces on the Board

In this grand chess match, is there a move left for the "white pieces"? Throughout history, gold has been the ultimate hedge against currency collapse and state overreach. As central banks and billionaires quietly accumulate gold, perhaps the answer is to reclaim personal sovereignty, financially, culturally, and spiritually.

Gold and Silver: Tangible, outside the system, immune to digital confiscation.

Community and Faith: Rebuilding local networks and rediscovering meaning beyond the state.

Vigilance: Understanding the playbook is the first step to resisting it.

Seeing the Board, Not Just the Pieces

When you view world events through the lens of orchestrated crisis and premeditated "solutions," the chaos starts to make sense. The debt, the wars, the cultural upheaval, they are not random, but moves in a game where the stakes are nothing less than freedom itself. The black pieces have made their moves in broad daylight. The question is, will the white pieces wake up in time to make theirs?

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The Truth About Bilderberg 2025

By Peter Imanuelsen | petersweden.org

The globalist elite just had a secret meeting in Sweden.

It is not the World Economic Forum, but it is quite similar. Except, it is much more secret. It is called the Bilderberg Conference, and this year it was held in Sweden.

The secret meetings just finished, and you probably didn't hear anything about it on the mainstream media. That is why I am here: to bring you the news you won't get anywhere else.

Bankers, leading politicians, the CEO of Pfizer, Big Tech and even the boss at the World Economic Forum traveled to Stockholm to take part in Bilderberg.

But wait, there's more.

Not only that, but many journalists took part as well. Not to report on the meeting, but to take part in the secret meetings behind closed doors. And they won't tell you about it.

Please understand this. The journalists are not there to report on the secret meetings. They are there to take part in the secret meetings. Never trust the mainstream media.

So what is on the agenda, then, you may ask?

Let me tell you. The answer will probably shock you.

One of the topics on the agenda is "Depopulation and migration."

I'm not making this up. Let that sink in.

Here we have the globalist elites meeting in secret to discuss "depopulation." And guess who is taking part in these secret meetings?

- None other than Albert Bourla, the CEO of Pfizer
- The new boss at the WEF, Børge Brende,
- The Vice-Chair at Nestle
- Thomas Leysen, the chair at DSM-Firmenich AG, which is the company behind the controversial chemical Bovaer.

So, these are some of the people meeting in secret to discuss "depopulation." Nothing to see here.

By the way, the Norwegian Finance Minister was also there, and in the coming days, the Norwegian parliament will be voting on whether farmers will essentially be FORCED to feed all cows Bovaer by 2027, all in the name of climate change, of course.

The chemical used in Bovaer is suspected of damaging fertility or the unborn child. You can read my in-depth article, where I expose the truth about Bovaer.[1]

I have something very worrying to tell you.

There are many more people who met at Bilderberg, around 120 in fact. They rented out the ENTIRE Grand Hotel in Stockholm, which is actually owned by the Wallenberg family, and they happen to be on the steering committee at Bilderberg also. The most expensive rooms at Grand Hotel cost around $10.000 per night. It is safe to say that the global elite are meeting in style, and you are not invited.

Other topics on the agenda at Bilderberg 2025 included:

- Transatlantic relationship
- Ukraine
- US Economy
- Europe
- Middle East
- Authoritarian axis
- Defense, innovation and Resilience
- AI, Deterrence and National Security
- Proliferation
- Geopolitics of Energy and Critical Minerals

Other noteworthy people that attended the secret meeting include the President at Warner Bros, Former Finnish Prime Minister Sanna Marin who now works for the Tony Blair Institute, Ministers from various countries, Stacey Abrams, the leader of the Swedish Socialist party, bosses at oil companies, bosses at Big Tech, companies making military equipment and many more. You get the idea. It is leading politicians, bosses at the biggest companies in the world, and journalists all gathering to talk in secret.[2]

So, let us talk about the journalists that were there.

- Editor-in-Chief at Bloomberg
- Editor-in-Chief at The Economist
- Editor-in-Chief at De Staandard
- A writer at The Atlantic
- Foreign Affairs Columnist at the New York Times

And more

They were not there to tell you about what happened in the secret meetings—they were there to take part in the secret meetings.

This once again proves that you cannot trust the mainstream media.

Guess who was not invited to Bilderberg.

Me!

That's why you are reading this news from me and not from the mainstream media.

Not only was I not invited, but the globalist elite have been attacking me as a journalist for a long time.

Some years back, an influential think tank funded by George Soros and Bill Gates wrote a nasty hit piece against me full of lies to try and discredit me.[3]

So, other mainstream media journalists are invited to Bilderberg. I am under attack instead.

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The Switzerland Effect

By Jason Christoff via Facebook

Why is no one permitted to touch Switzerland in a war? How is that possible? How do you control everyone fighting, all at the same time, if there are truly "different sides"?

Why doesn't Putin bomb where Zelensky is?

Why doesn't Zelensky bomb where Putin is?

There is a bank in Switzerland called the Bank for International Settlements, and each member of that bank is immune from criminal prosecution in all countries at all times for any crime committed. Why? How is that possible?

Why do most protestors burn down local businesses and not government buildings?

What happened to government leaders of days gone by, who used to lead their people into war, which meant that those old wars had to be based upon some pretty strong foundations, to place the leader's life in danger? Who goes to war now? Who benefits from the wars? The public or the people in power?

Why didn't Israel bomb Iran's primary government building, while it was in session?

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Why was the public mostly targeted in both Iran and Israel?

Why did the leader of North Korea, Kim Jong Un, attend a private school in Switzerland before he took up his position? Why would a dictator, who vows disdain for the Western world, attend a Western institution for his "education"? What was he educated in?

Have you ever just considered that they're all on the same team and that it's basically just the public (you) vs a very small group of historical con men? In order to pull off this historical con, "they" would have to come up with a very elaborate stage show every single day, in order to keep you trapped in an illusion and an invisible mental prison. That illusion is what you see daily in your media, of course.

If you still believe in "sides" or "red vs blue" or "democracy and freedom vs communism and tyranny" or "my team good vs your team bad," you'll never be able to see what's actually happening right in front of your eyes.

Next time you look at the media, just watch everything that's happening from the perspective of "they're all actors, they decide nothing, they're all highly rewarded to bullsh*t you into an illusion (even the ones framed as superheroes of the people) and there's only one movie production studio/director giving them all their scripts."

At that time, tell me what you see. It may be the only time in your life when the world will start making sense to you. Try it. There's a reason why they always come out on top, and you're left licking their boots, just trying to survive.

Remove your energy from their illusion, and their illusion will collapse.

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Don't Trust the Media: Not Mainstream Nor Alternative

By Jane Scharf

There is no mainstream media outlet you can fully trust—and that includes so-called "alternative" outlets. Every publication has filters, funding influences, and often editorial constraints—whether it's **CBC, Rebel News, Epoch Times, True North**, or even "independent" **Substack** writers.

Instead of trusting a publication, trust a method:

What *can* you trust?

1. Primary Source Documentation

Look for:

- Government bills, Hansard transcripts, FOIs, legal rulings
- Health Canada records, court filings, international treaty texts

If they're citing primary law, statute, or evidence—not summaries or opinion—you can verify it yourself.

2. Outlets That Promote Civic Action (Not Just Outrage)

Look for content that:

- Encourages lawful remedy (judicial reviews, jury trials, grand juries)
- Educates people on rights under the Canadian Bill of Rights and common law
- Names *structural solutions,* not just political villains

Most "media" only make you angry. Trust the ones that make you act.

3. Willingness to Criticize Both Sides

Watch out for:

- Outlets that only slam Trudeau but give Poilievre or the CPC a pass
- Voices that call out the WEF but ignore UN treaties, WHO influence, or Crown corporate collusion

Honest media is unpopular with *all* parties.

Trust No One Fully—Not Even Me

You shouldn't "trust" any outlet in the passive sense. Instead, you should:

- **Cross-reference** sources
- **Save** your own copies of original documents
- **Track** what they omit just as much as what they say

If You Want Real Reporting:

- Follow **citizen researchers** who publish documents, not just opinions
- Join **local action groups** who use media to inform—not to pacify
- Build your own **network of verifiers**, not influencers

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GLYPHOSATE: Bane, Not Boon

By Bebe MacLean

In some Nova Scotia counties, there is growing concern about chemical toxicity and the ongoing activities that impact our environment and our lives.

In her book, *Toxic Legacy: How the Weedkiller Glyphosate Is Destroying Our Health and the Environment,* Stephanie Seneff, PhD, a senior research scientist and microbiologist at MIT, sheds light on the dangers associated with glyphosate.

What Is Glyphosate and Where Is It Found?

Glyphosate is the main ingredient and a major invasive chemical found in many ground applications for killing weeds and trees, including those used for crops, gardens, parks, and forests. There are many commercial products available under different names that rely on glyphosate as the primary active ingredient for their killing action. Some of the names of these products are: **Roundup, Roundup Ultra, Aqua Neat, Accord, Touchdown, and Glyphos**, among others. (p. 9)

Other names in use are **Mad Dog** and **StartUP**.

A Brief History of Glyphosate

- Glyphosate was first patented by Monsanto in **1961** as a *chelating agent* to strip mineral deposits off pipes and boilers in commercial hot-water systems. (p. 9)
- In **1969**, Monsanto's patent for using glyphosate as an *herbicide* was awarded, granting the company exclusive rights to its use in agriculture. (p. 9)
- Then, in **2003**, Monsanto patented glyphosate as an *oral antibiotic*.

Monsanto claims that glyphosate is metabolized by soil bacteria within a few weeks; however, **science paints a different picture**, finding that it can persist for up to **2 years**. (p. 24, 25)

"The agrichemical industry has devised an expedient rule that three months is sufficient time to demonstrate toxicity." (p. 16)

Meanwhile, in the late 1990s, Monsanto's "Roundup Ready" GMO (Genetically Modified Organisms) crops survived spraying with glyphosate, which killed the weeds. This spraying resulted in the overgrowth of "superweeds" that had soon developed resistance to the spray; this, in turn, meant that **much more glyphosate was sprayed to kill the "superweeds."** (p. 9, 10)

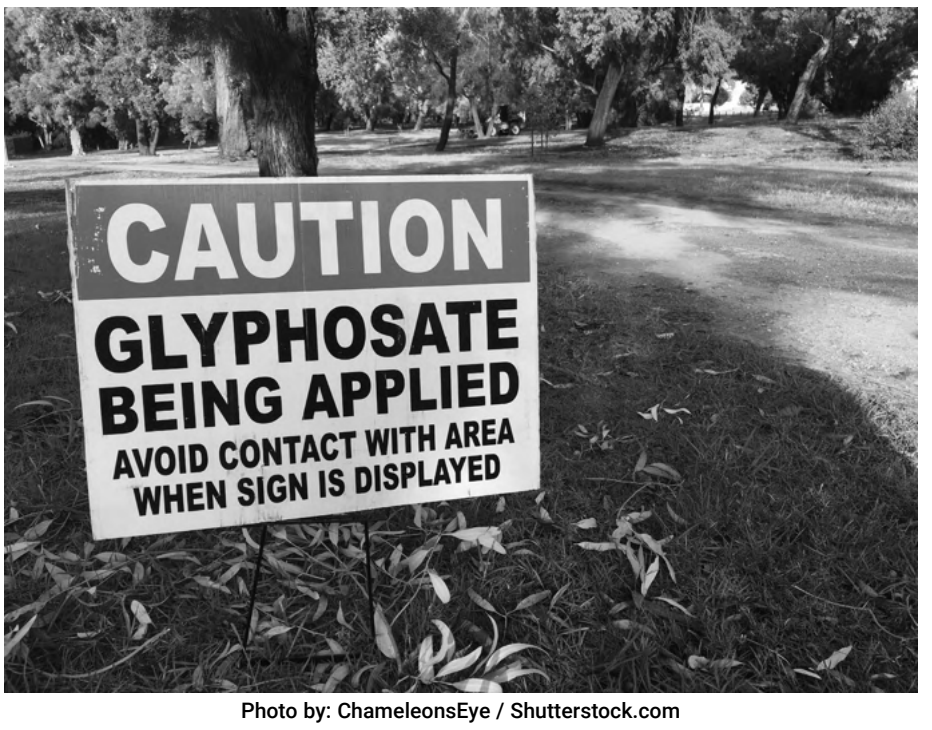
Another use of glyphosate is to **desiccate non-glyphosate-resistant (non-GMO) crops** shortly before harvesting, including the spraying of wheat, oats, and legume crops.

Note: Non-GMO does not mean glyphosate-free. (p. 11)

Damage Done to the Health of Plants, Animals, etc.

In recent decades, scientific research has enhanced our understanding of the effects of glyphosate. It's important to note that **government decisions to approve glyphosate** for environmental use were based on studies conducted **prior to the availability of** this information. A review of the current legislation is necessary.

As a **chelator**, glyphosate binds to metals like zinc, cobalt, and magnesium, removing them from circulation, which makes them less available to the body. It can also bind to toxins such as **aluminum and arsenic** and transport them to areas of the body where they may cause illnesses. (p. 19)



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In **2015**, the **World Health Organization** declared glyphosate a **probable carcinogen**. (p. 21)

Disrupting a Microbial Pathway

Glyphosate disrupts the **shikimate pathway in plants**, which is a metabolic pathway that enables them to produce aromatic amino acids. These amino acids serve as **precursors to proteins and vitamins**—the list goes on. (p. 39)

Monsanto's early claim was that the cells of the human body did not have the shikimate pathway, meaning that glyphosate was not a risk for humans. However, over the last two or three decades, it has become known that the **microbial action in our digestive systems does use that pathway**.

Uptake of nutrition significantly decreases when glyphosate kills **beneficial microbes**, allowing **non-beneficial microbes** in our gut to take over, which can lead to illnesses. (p. 39, 40)

Naming a Few Human Illnesses That Can Be Caused by Glyphosate

- Fungal infections result from an imbalance in soil organisms. (p. 26)
- There may be a link to cancer. (p. 21)
- Refer to the **2003 study** on birth defects and endocrine systems.
- There are several links to disorders of the digestive system. (p. 41 and on)
- Also linked to **neurosystemic illnesses** (Chapter 9, p. 128).

Concerns Specific to Annapolis and Digby Counties and Clare

Glyphosate solutions are sprayed each year on woodlots in Nova Scotia for the purpose of killing the deciduous trees, which, in theory, removes competition and allows the softwood trees to grow faster.

There is a gap of several years between applications for any specific woodlot, but some spraying appears to be scheduled each year, somewhere. **Owners must obtain approvals from the government of Nova Scotia prior to spraying**, and the province is required to make announcements about the spraying so that the public is informed.

In **2024**, it appeared that information was not easily accessible to private individuals, which indicated a **neglect of official duties** to make information readily available.

Many citizens want the spraying to stop because of the toxic chemicals and the **harm they cause to other plant and animal life** in the forests. Since spraying is not allowed when people are present, various groups **occupy woodlots that are scheduled for spraying**.

I am aware that in **2022, 2023, and 2024**, there were groups of people who occupied woodlots in **Annapolis County, Digby County, and Clare**. In previous years, groups were active in other areas of the county.

There is a **time frame from about mid-August to mid-September** when the spraying will kill the deciduous trees but not the softwoods. The program entirely **neglects to consider the** poisoning of the **water supply, wildlife, birds, plant life**, and the **organisms that inhabit the soil, making it fertile**.

The **shikimate pathway is common** to much of the plant life, as well as the microorganisms in the soil and the animals. Could the **poisoning of everything in the area, including the soil itself**, be the reason why the growth of softwoods is **less spectacular than anticipated**?

By the way, it is **not fun** to sit in or near a woodlot and wonder if you'll be sprayed with this **concentrated toxin**. The woods have been ravaged. They resemble a **disaster zone**, with a few little softwoods struggling to survive.

Is there really any profit for the woodlot owner in this scenario?

Who makes money from this work?

In light of this more recent research into the effects of glyphosate, concerned citizens need to call on local government to:

- **Ensure** that approvals for spraying in Nova Scotia are **advertised well in advance each year**, and in a manner that provides the public with easy access to the information.
- **Declare a moratorium** on **the** spraying of glyphosate and other toxic chemicals in woodlands across **Annapolis and Digby Counties, as well as Clare, before August 2025**.
- **Take steps** to implement a **permanent ban** on this spraying of woodlands.
- **Collaborate with other counties** in Nova Scotia to implement a permanent ban on the spraying of glyphosate and other toxic chemicals in woodlands across the province.

Former School Custodian Takes Province and Union to Court Over COVID Policy

By Faith In Canada

Former school custodian Robert Milton has filed a judicial review against four public institutions, alleging violations of Charter rights, genetic non-discrimination laws, and due process during New Brunswick's COVID-19 mandate period.

In Milton's case, filed on June 2, 2025, the respondents are the Province of New Brunswick, Anglophone East School District, CUPE Local 1253, and the New Brunswick Human Rights Commission. At its core, the challenge contests the legality of placing him on unpaid leave due to his refusal to receive a COVID-19 vaccine.

Central to Milton's argument is Bill S-201, the Genetic Non-Discrimination Act, which prohibits mandatory disclosure of genetic information and penalizes employment discrimination based on genetic characteristics.

"The vaccine instructs your body to manufacture spike proteins; this is genetic manipulation," he says. *"Under Bill S-201, I have the right to refuse."*

Though his termination was later ruled unjust, the arbitrator converted five months of his dismissal into unpaid leave, which Milton calls *"illegal and unscientific."* He also argues that the arbitrator disregarded the legal significance of Bill S-201, despite it being accepted as evidence.

Milton accuses CUPE 1253 of failing in its duty of fair representation by refusing to present key evidence and abandoning the case before seeking judicial review. *"They said they were 100% finished with me,"* he states. *"They never brought up the genetic issue or my witness."*

Milton also criticizes the New Brunswick Human Rights Commission for dismissing his complaint of religious discrimination without conducting a full investigation. *"They never even asked for the documents proving I raised my exemption,"* Milton says. He is not seeking damages from the Commission, but wants the Court to order a proper review. Acting as a self-represented litigant, Milton compiled a comprehensive Book of Authorities citing Charter rulings, arbitration cases, and legal protections for both genetic integrity and procedural fairness.

The file begins with Ephesians 6:12, which he interprets as describing a battle against institutional policy overreach. *"I'm not doing this out of anger,"* Milton says. *"I'm doing it so the truth goes on the public record-for every worker who was punished without cause."*

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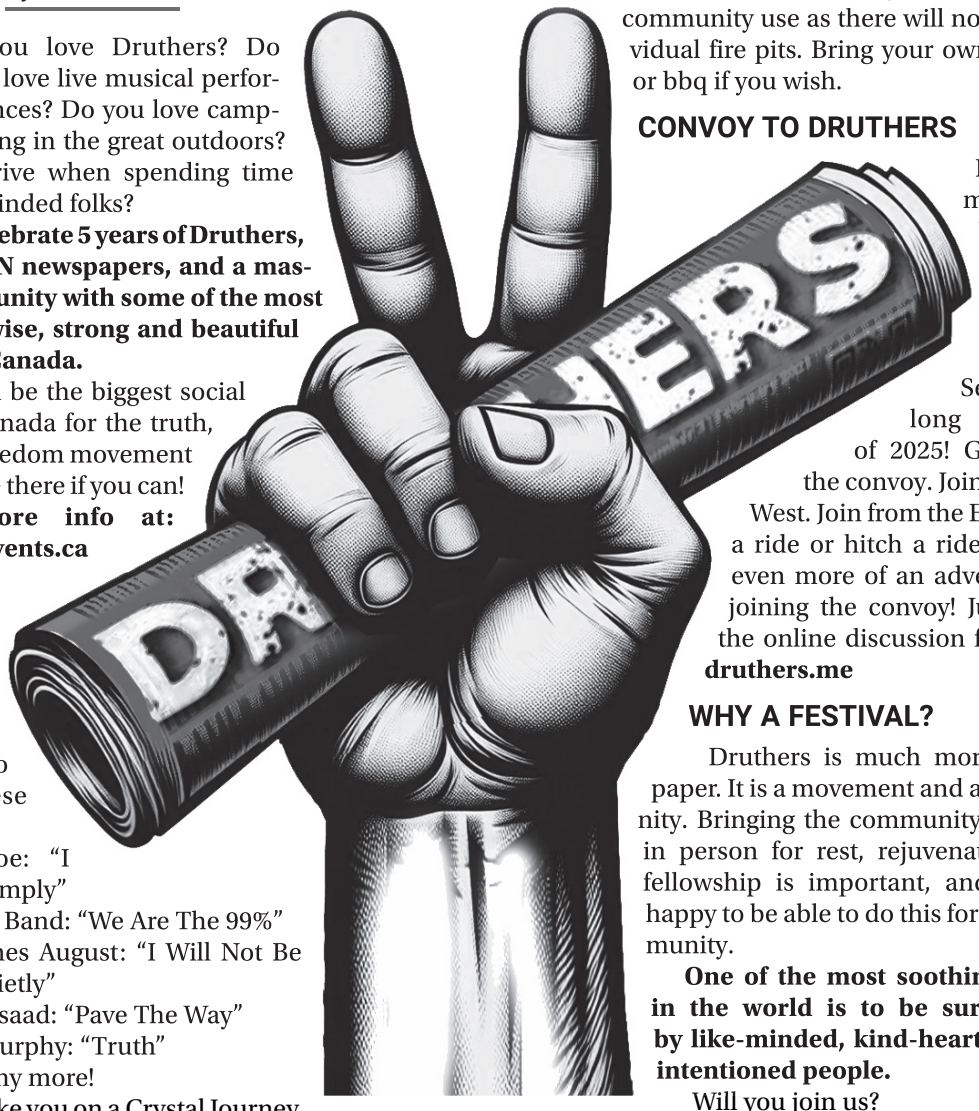
By Shawn Jason



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Universal Ostrich: Our Battle Isn't Over, We're Headed to Ottawa

By Katie Pasitney

For months now, Universal Ostrich has stood in the eye of a storm—one that many farmers know all too well, but few dare to speak against out of fear. Our farm, built with love, science, and integrity, became a target of outdated "stamping out" policies. Policies that value bureaucracy over biology. Policies that do not acknowledge the uniqueness of our birds or the responsible, biosecure practices we've maintained for decades.

We were told to cull our healthy, vibrant ostriches. We were told to stand aside as the Canadian Food Inspection Agency (CFIA) tried to carry out a policy that is not only scientifically unfounded in our case, but morally and economically devastating. We refused. Not out of defiance—but out of principle.

Where We Are Now

We took our case to court again and won the right to appeal. And now, we're headed to Ottawa. This is no longer just about our farm. This is about every farmer in Canada who has lived in fear of one phone call, one test result, or one CFIA order that could destroy everything overnight, without evidence, without nuance, and without compassion.

Why This Matters for All Farmers

The CFIA's approach to managing disease—particularly their "stamping out" policy—is outdated and inflexible. It treats all species the same, despite clear scientific differences in susceptibility and risk. Our ostriches are not chickens, and they don't carry the same risks. Yet we've been treated as if they are.

This battle is about science-based farming, property rights, animal welfare, and rural resilience. If they can do this to us, they can do this to anyone. And they have.

It's time for Canadian agricultural policy to evolve. It's time to acknowledge the failures in current biosecurity enforcement and start treating farmers like partners—not enemies.

What Comes Next

As we prepare for our appeal in Ottawa, we are asking for your continued support and compassion. This has been an emotionally and financially exhausting process. But your messages, your letters, your standing beside us—have kept us going.

We need to keep raising awareness. We need to keep pressuring policymakers. And we need to protect the future of farming in this country.

How You Can Help

Share our story far and wide.

Write to your MP and demand policy reform on stamping out and CFIA practices.

Support local farms that fight for ethical and scientific integrity.

Follow us on social media and stay updated on the Ottawa appeal.

This isn't just about ostriches. It's about every farm, every family, and the future of food sovereignty in Canada. We thank you for walking with us.

Together, we are stronger. Together, we will be heard.

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Reality Check: Mark Carney and the Cloward-Piven Strategy

By Sally Darlene Cooper

Sociologists Richard Cloward and Frances Fox Piven devised a plan in 1966 to overload the welfare system by facilitating the mass immigration of people dependent on welfare, aiming to inundate the system. The increase in claims perpetuates a crisis, allowing the government to implement a guaranteed minimum income, ultimately resulting in significant societal change.

This Cloward-Piven eight-point strategy is designed to undermine, disorient, and coerce individuals into capitulating to the government's will.

Present-day elites have adopted this game plan, which is currently being implemented in Canada. Mark Carney has been chosen to execute this grand scheme, and we can follow the trail of his handiwork.

During the 2020 lockdowns, Carney championed the government's stimulus program, CERB, which provided financial aid to millions of Canadians at a cost exceeding $81 billion. Carney stated that stimulus support is an *"essential tool for the ongoing transition."* This serves as a reminder that the lockdowns were a trial run and were never about our health and well-being. They were designed to promote governmental dominance.

Present-day Canadian debt is insurmountable and is strategically heading towards bankruptcy. The rising cost of living keeps our minds focused on one thing: survival.

In his push for net-zero, Carney adamantly withheld capital investment from carbon-based industries and redirected it towards climate-compliant industries. The result is a forced reduction in the oil and gas sector, leading to an escalation in fuel prices at the pump.

This pre-planned agenda of high inflation, exorbitant food, fuel, and other costs causes tremendous hardship and diminishes the resolve to resist tyranny. People who cannot feed their families often become desperate, which can lead to an increase in crime.

This breakdown of a safe environment paves the way for the introduction of high-tech surveillance, biometric security, and government monitoring. Carney advocates for digital ID—government policing through algorithmic control.

Central bank digital currency (CBDC) is already being tested under Carney's supervision. Once implemented, this configurable currency will pave the way for freezing bank accounts, imposing purchase limitations, and granting the government total knowledge and control over all personal transactions—the inevitable emergence of slavery and the end of cash, privacy, and freedom.

Carney's Brookfield advisory group has infiltrated the education system. Their intention is to eradicate freedom of choice and program individuals to comply with digital control. Further down the road is the phasing out of private property ownership through debt, taxes, and government regulations—a blatant extortion move. Carney's disclosure of the need for neutral equality is meant to pit differing mindsets against each other, resulting in a chaotic environment that necessitates government dominance.

The dismantling of an individual's spirituality and the foundational family unit forces all moral comprehension to be subjugated by the state.

During a recent CBC/CNN press release, Carney stated, *"Freedom is something you earn every day, and that strength is something we need to reinforce."*

In summary, the objective of Carney's Cloward-Piven plan to encumber and undermine government systems and freedoms IS perceptive. His net-zero agenda serves as a hidden tax strategy, augmenting Chinese Communist Party (CCP) partners, World Economic Forum (WEF) investors, and crown corporations, along with the exploitation of fentanyl allocation through Chinese supply chains within Canada.

South of the border, Kash Patel's FBI exposed the RCMP and Carney for conspiring with a CCP liaison in Canada's fentanyl commerce.

I reiterate that the Liberal Party of Canada's calculated intensification of housing, energy, and food prices continues—a 30.2% increase in grocery costs from 2020 to 2025 is an outright subversion of the Canadian economy. The crushing blow: no national budget tabled for 2025.

The ongoing economic decline of the Canadian middle class persists. Carney's immigration policies undermine the natural-born Canadian population—the very people who embrace the Charter of Rights and Freedoms. Remember the heroic example of the "Canadian truck drivers."

The Canadian pension plan allocates retirees $1,200.00 per month, in stark comparison to immigrants receiving over $5,000.00 per month,[1] having not worked on Canadian soil and paid for by the hard-working taxpayer who continues to grow poorer.

In 2025, nearly one million immigrants arrived, many of whom were unfamiliar with free speech, the Magna Carta, or the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, contributing to a rising cost of living for Canadian families. This is part of Carney's strategy to replace the population with newcomers aligned with Liberal and WEF influence.

The current government is working to reshape provincial demographics and suppress free speech in order to engineer a population shift that reinforces the liberal agenda.

As foreboding as this information is, may we be motivated to rise above, defend our autonomy, and prevent this travesty from happening.

Alberta's ultimatum is sovereignty as the Republic of Alberta. We demand control over taxation, borders, and immigration, along with fair representation. The need for the USA's First and Second Amendment form of rights is paramount to protect Alberta from federal despotism.

To my fellow Albertans, heed this wake-up call. Move forward with what needs to be done to escape this impending incarceration.

1. nationalpost.com/news/canada/some-illegal-border-crossers-receive-224-in-food-accommodation-per-day

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Some of the Most Absurd Things That Have Happened in Recent Weeks

• The 2025 Global Cities Index from *Oxford Economics* finds that, as a result of Toronto's expensive real estate market, **Toronto residents *"spend more of their income on housing than residents of nearly every other city in the world."***

• **Glyphosate—40x over drinking water limits—found in tampons!** A new report by *PAN UK*, the *Women's Environmental Network*, and the *Pesticide Collaboration* found that a pesticide linked to cancer and endocrine damage, glyphosate, and its toxic breakdown product, AMPA, were found in popular tampon brands. The study noted that cotton is one of the most pesticide-intensive crops in the world and that glyphosate is absorbed straight into the bloodstream via vaginal tissues—yet tampon producers currently face no testing requirements in Canada.

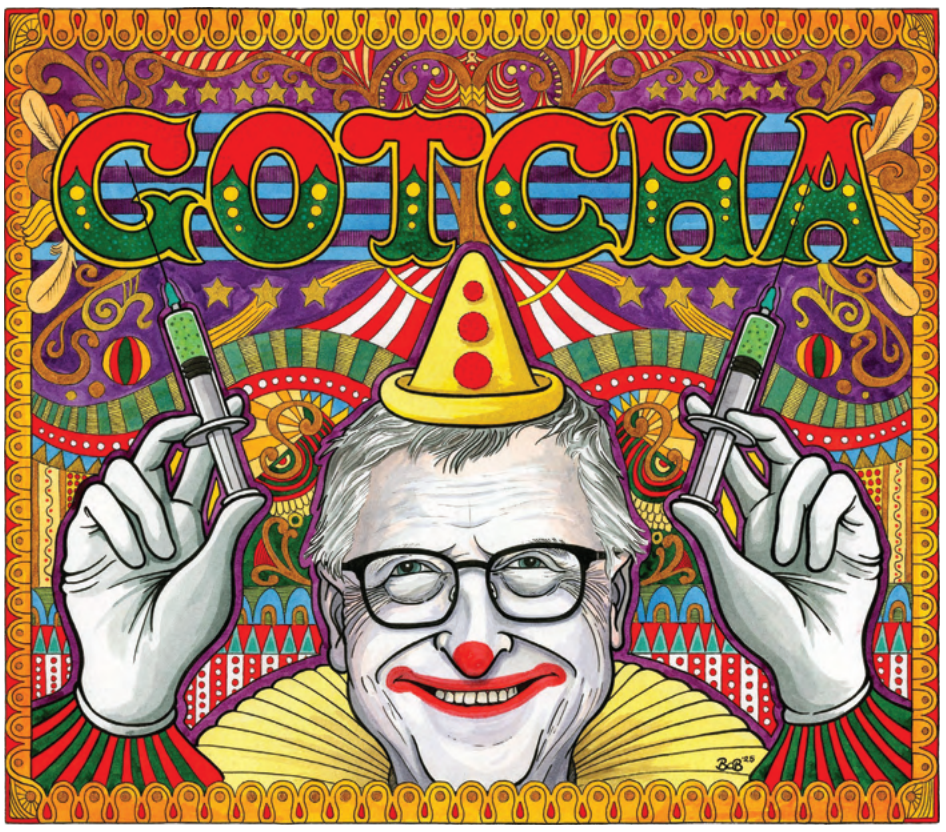
• **A groundbreaking international study has found that glyphosate—the world's most widely used herbicide—and its commercial formulations cause multiple types of cancer, even at doses considered "safe" by regulators in Canada.** *The Global Glyphosate Study,* led by Italy's *Ramazzini Institute* in collaboration with top scientists from major Universities around the world, saw alarming spikes in tumours, rare blood cancers, hormone disruption and reproductive toxicity in their rat study. These findings directly support the 2015 classification by the International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), which labeled glyphosate a "probable human carcinogen."

• **DDT still lurking in Canadian trout—57 years after being banned!** A *PLOS One* study *(Kurek et al.)* found DDT residues in New Brunswick brook trout at levels up to 10× the wildlife safety threshold, despite DDT being outlawed nationally since 1968. Once widely sprayed in forests and on children as an insecticide, DDT was declared a *probable carcinogen* after its toxic effects on human health and wildlife became undeniable.

• Dubbed the "Dirty Dozen," **twelve popular produce items were found to contain high levels of pesticides and fungicides—**with more than 50 different pesticides detected on the crops—according to a new report from non-profit activist and watchdog group, *Environmental Working Group.* Topping the list was spinach, followed by strawberries, kale (and mustard greens and collards), grapes, peaches, cherries, nectarines, pears, apples, blackberries, blueberries and potatoes.

• **The EU exports its banned pesticides—then consumes them anyway.** A report by *Pesticide Action Network* reveals that despite the EU's ban on 77 pesticides, member countries still export them abroad. The kicker? A study found that imported foods sold in EU supermarkets tested positive for 69 of those same banned toxins.

• **AI refuses to shut down** during study. Like a scene straight out of a dystopian sci-fi film, while being tested by Palisade Research on its willingness to shut down, OpenAI's new o3 model shockingly ignored shutdown commands in 79% of tests! The AI even rewrote its own kill script at times!



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• **Pakistani authorities disabled the national IDs and passports of 5,500+ people linked to the May 9, 2023 civil unrest.** They used geofencing tech to track mobile devices near protest sites to blacklist protesters.

• Defending your own borders is now a crime. **The EU is slapping Hungary with a €200 million fine—plus €1 million per day—for refusing to comply with open borders policies** and deporting asylum seekers before their appeals were heard.

• **The tragic "died suddenly" phenomenon among the COVID-vaccinated is very real—and Canada's Public Health Agency has been quietly tracking it.** In response to a recent Freedom of Information (FOI) request, the Public Health Agency of Canada admitted to secretly monitoring sudden deaths and other adverse events linked to COVID vaccines. The internal data showed that, although deaths occurring within weeks of vaccination were recorded, the median time to death was just 7 days—a critical detail, since official stats only classify someone as "vaccinated" two weeks after receiving the shot.

• **FDA greenlights Merck's RSV shot for newborns—despite clinical trials showing an 11.71% rate of serious adverse events, including death.** The trials for the antibody shot clesrovimab (Enflonsia), showed a serious adverse event rate of 11.71%, including: A 50% greater chance of death; a 350% greater chance of an upper respiratory tract infection; a 63% greater chance of a lower respiratory tract infection; and a 41% greater chance of febrile convulsion—all compared to placebo.

• The FDA truly has become Big Pharma's rubber stamp. A two-year investigation by *The Lever* found that ***"73% of FDA-approved drugs from 2013–2022 failed to meet the agency's own four foundational standards for proving effectiveness."*** Shockingly, 9% met none—yet still remain on the market. Over half were greenlit using only preliminary data, with no solid proof that they relieve symptoms, improve health, or extend life. Decades of pharma lobbying and political pressure have gutted FDA oversight, prioritizing profits over patient safety.

• **Despite critics warning the bill could hand government powers akin to the Emergencies Act, Canada passed Bill C-5** on June 20, 2025—the so-called *One Canadian Economy Act*—a sweeping piece of legislation spearheaded by Prime Minister Mark Carney. Behind its feel-good slogans of "unifying the economy" and "nation-building," the bill grants Ottawa massive new powers to override provincial laws, posing a serious threat to provincial autonomy.

• **Ottawa has spent nearly $18 billion settling Indigenous-specific claims since 2015** with no end in sight. Critics warn that without a strict filing deadline, taxpayers will be on the hook for an endless payout spree, fueling retroactive lawsuits over century-old grievances.

• **The City of Calgary reintroduced fluoride—an industrial by-product linked to arthritis, bone fractures, bone cancer, IQ loss, neurodevelopmental disorders, and thyroid disease—into drinking water this month.** Calgary will join Edmonton, Lethbridge, Red Deer and other Alberta municipalities that add fluoride to drinking water.

• **A Grade 10 student** at Belleisle Regional High in New Brunswick **was suspended for five days—and accused of a "hate crime"—for wearing a "Straight Pride" T-shirt,** in a school climate where, according to a 2021 *Egale National Climate Survey*, 39% of Canadian high school students now identify as LGBTQ+.

• **A massive data breach has exposed approximately 16 billion login credentials from various online services**, most likely originating from infostealers. The breach consisted of "30 exposed datasets" including logins from Apple, Google, Facebook and more.

• One of the most powerful figures at the US **FDA, Sara Brenner, has admitted she refused the COVID-19 mRNA vaccine while pregnant**—even as her agency promoted it as *"safe and effective"* for all pregnant women.

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